

**NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN COUNCIL
NORTH PROVIDENCE TOWN HALL
TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBERS
2000 SMITH STREET
NORTH PROVIDENCE, RI 02911**

**REGULAR MEETING March 6, 2012
7:30 p.m.**

MEMBERS PRESENT:

CALL TO ORDER

SALUTE TO FLAG (PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE)

MOMENT OF SILENCE

**1) ACCEPTANCE OF
JANUARY 3RD MEETING**

**TRANSCRIPTS:: Transcripts of January 3, 2012 Regular Meeting to
be accepted/approved by the Town Council**

**2) RUFFSTONE TAVERN: : Continuation of the January 9, 2012
Public Hearing on the
BV Liquor and Entertainment
License for Ruffstone Tavern.**

**Residents Rita Pignatelli and John Berard wish to speak
regarding this item and Lt. Paiva of the North Providence
Police Department will be available to speak or answer
questions.**

3) MBDC ENTERPRISES, LLC. d/b/a

ASHES CIGAR LOUNGE:: Continuation of the February 7, 2012

**Public Hearing on the BV Liquor License for MBDC Enterprises, LLC.
d/b/a Ashes Cigar Lounge.**

4) PRESENTATION OF

**FINANCIAL REPORT:: Finance Director Walter Edge to present
Financial Report to the Town Council.**

5) MAYORAL

COMMUNICATION:: Received communication from Mayor Lombardi

regarding monies requested to be paid to the School Department.

6) RESOLUTION 12-002:: Discussion concerning the passage of Resolution 12-002 regarding “Amending the Town Charter to hold Regular Council Meetings at 7:00 p.m.”

7) RESOLUTION 12-003:: Discussion and passage of Resolution #12-003 concerning RIPTA.

8) MINUTES OF MEETING:: Council President Catanzaro requests discussion concerning minutes of the meeting procedure for council approval.

9) DELINQUENT TAXES:: Councilwoman Catanzaro requests discussion concerning a taxpayer relief plan for payment of delinquent taxes.

10) McARTHUR DRIVE:: Councilmen Feola and Giusti requests discussion concerning installing a street light on McArthur Drive.

11) MEDIA INITIATIVE:: Councilwoman Brady requests discussion regarding the Meeting Management System: Live and On Demand Streaming.

12) CHENANGO AVENUE:: Councilwoman Brady wishes to discuss traffic concerns on Chenango Avenue. Kristine Pontarelli and Margaret Corsini also wish to speak to this issue.

13) TEE PEE INC. Councilwoman Brady wishes to discuss the status of Pure D/B/A/ PURE :: Restaurant & Lounge.

14) VICTUALLING LICENSE:: Received application for a Victualling License from Sarah Bonnie Oteng-Leifah d/b/a Tropical Olive Restaurant & Catering Services, 1007 Charles Street.

15) 24 HOUR

LICENSE:: Received application for a 24 Hour License from Blast Fitness, North Providence, LLC. d/b/a Work Out World located at 1920 Mineral Spring Avenue. (This item was continued from February 7, 2012 meeting).

16) HOLIDAY SALES

LICENSE:: Received application for a Holiday Sales License from Gem

Ravioli at 981 Mineral Spring Avenue.

17) PRIVATE DETECTIVE

LICENSE:: Received application for renewal of a Private Detective License for David Lussier of 6 Sorrell Road.

18) CLAIMS: : Received claims from the following:

A) Nancy McKenna, 60 Frank Street, Pawtucket, Rhode Island 02860

B) Kong Suen Chan by Atty. Kristen N. Lupoli, 56 Olney St., Seekonk, Mass 02771

C) Louis Prete, 1500 Douglas Ave., No. Prov, RI 02904 (resubmitted by Councilman Autiello)

19) ORDINANCE COMMITTEE

REPORT:: Councilman Giammarco to present the Ordinance Committee Report from meeting of February 22, 2012.

20) FINANCECOMMITTEE

REPORT:: Councilman Lynch to present the Finance Committee Report from meeting of March 1, 2012.

21) REDISTRICTING

COMMITTEE REPORT:: Councilman Lynch to present the Finance Committee Report from meeting of March 2, 2012.

22) TAX ADDENDAS:: Received list of Tax Addendas from the Tax Assessors and Board of Tax Review in the amount of \$1,233.52 for Motor Vehicles.

23) TAX ABATEMENTS:: Received list of Tax Abatements under \$1,000.00

(UNDER \$1,000) from Tax Assessors and Board of Tax Review in the amount of \$828.11 for Real Estate, \$1,199.59 for Motor Vehicles and \$2,214.20 for Tangibles.

24) TAX ABATEMENTS:: Received list of Tax Abatements over \$1,000.00

(OVER \$1,000) from Tax Assessor and or Board of Tax Review in the amount of \$1,319.56 for Real Estate.